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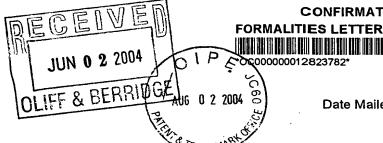
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119132 **CONFIRMATION NO. 5068** 

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#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVE SIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

## **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i). unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

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- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
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### CUSTOMER NUMBER 25944 AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re the Application of

Mikihiko ISHII et al.

Application No.: 10/802,840

Filed: March 18, 2004

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR POINT DIFFRACTION INTERFEROMETRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Check No. 156873 in the amount of \$180.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Mario A. Costantino Registration No. 33,565

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Date: August 2, 2004



### PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS WITH DECLARATION AND TRANSLATION

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (copy attached) mailed on June 1, 2004, submitted herewith is the executed Declaration of the inventors and a Power of Attorney. Any necessary Designation of Ten Attorneys for Power of Attorney or Transmittal of Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) is also attached. Also submitted herewith is, upon information and belief, an accurate translation of the application. Any specification attached to and referenced in the Declaration is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto which were filed in the Office in order to obtain a filing date for the application.

冈 A preliminary amendment is also attached.

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INDEP CLAIMS	*7 MINUS	***7	=0
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<u>OR</u>	RATE	ADD'L FEE
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	x 86	\$
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Attached is our Check No. <u>156870</u> for \$\sqrt{\$260.00}\$ \$195.00 (entitlement to small entity status is asserted) for the fee under 37 C.F.R. \\$1.16(e) and \\$1.17(i) and any excess claim fees noted above.

Entry of these documents should complete all of the filing formalities and fully satisfy all requirements of the Notice to File Missing Parts. Examination and allowance of this application in due course are respectfully solicited.

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